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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6524**

**BILL NUMBER:** SB 391

**NOTE PREPARED:** Apr 30, 2009

**BILL AMENDED:** Apr 29, 2009

**SUBJECT:** Various Motor Vehicle Matters.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Rogers

**FIRST SPONSOR:** Rep. Austin

**BILL STATUS:** Enrolled

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**    **GENERAL**  
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                          **FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill:

(1) allows the Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV) to adopt rules concerning the renewal of certain driver's licenses by mail or by electronic service;

(2) adds provisions concerning driver's licenses, driver's permits, and identification cards for aliens lawfully admitted for temporary residence in the United States; and

(3) makes corresponding changes in related sections.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2009.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:** (1) Allowing the issuance of certain driver's licenses by mail or by electronic service will save the BMV money. The BMV reported in January 2008 the following costs on a per-vehicle registration: (a) \$1.72 for mail-in; (b) \$1.81 for online; and (c) \$6.44 for in-branch transactions. There would be credit card costs associated with online transactions, but not as much as on mail-in, since only 10% of BMV mail-in registration customers use a credit card. The fund affected is the Motor Vehicle Highway Account (MVHA). The BMV issued just under 1.4 million driver's licenses in CY 2007. It is not known how many would qualify for the remote renewal based on the proposal's provisions.

Adopting rules will be conducted under current rule-making procedures and will have no fiscal impact. The fund affected is the MVHA, which supports the BMV.

(2) Adding provisions concerning licenses, permits, and identification cards for aliens lawfully admitted for

temporary residence in the United States will have a minimal fiscal impact. The fund affected is the MVHA, which supports the Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:** BMV.

**Local Agencies Affected:**

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